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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
NORIYUKI KURAMOTO, ET AL. : EXAMINER: KOPEC, MARK T.
SERIAL NO: 10/581,055 :
FILED: DECEMBER 18, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1796
FOR: CONDUCTIVE POLYANILINE :
COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR
PRODUCING THE SAME, AND MOLDED
OBJECT THEREOF

RESPONSE TO THE REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed June 16, 2009, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I: Claims 1-9 and 17-15 drawn to a composition.

Applicants request that the Examiner expand the search to the non-elected claims of Groups II and III, Claims 10-12 and 16-23, if the elected Group I claims are found allowable.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.